State Officeholders and State Candidates Not on 2006 Ballot

2006 Filing Schedule

Filing Deadline	Type of Statement	Period Covered by Statement ^{1/}	Method of Delivery
Within 10 Business Days	\$5,000 Report ^{2/}	Any time other than 90-day election cycle	♦ Online or Electronically with Secretary of State
January 31, 2006	Semi-Annual	^{1/} – 12/31/05	 → Personal Delivery^{3/} → First Class Mail
Within 24 Hours	Special Online Independent Expenditure Report ^{4/}	3/8/06 – 6/6/06	♦ Online or Electronically with Secretary of State
March 22, 2006	Pre-Election ^{5/}	1/1/06 – 3/17/06	→ Personal Delivery→ First Class Mail
Within 48 Hours	Issue Advocacy Disclosure Statement ^{6/}	4/22/06 - 6/5/06	♦ Online or Electronically with Secretary of State
May 25, 2006	Pre-Election ^{5/}	3/18/06 - 5/20/06	→ Personal Delivery→ First Class Mail
Within 24 Hours	If You Make a Late Contribution or Late Independent Expenditure of \$1,000 or More ^{7/}	5/21/06 - 6/5/06	 → Personal Delivery → Guaranteed Overnight Service → Fax
July 31, 2006	Semi-Annual	^{1/} – 6/30/06	→ Personal Delivery→ First Class Mail
Within 24 Hours	Special Online Independent Expenditure Report ^{4/}	8/9/06 – 11/7/06	♦ Online or Electronically with Secretary of State
October 5, 2006	Pre-Election ^{5/}	7/1/06 – 9/30/06	♦ Personal Delivery♦ First Class Mail
Within 48 Hours	Issue Advocacy Disclosure Statement ^{6/}	9/23/06 – 11/6/06	♦ Online or Electronically with Secretary of State
October 26, 2006	Pre-Election ^{5/}	10/1/06 - 10/21/06	♦ Personal Delivery♦ First Class Mail
Within 24 Hours	If You Make a Late Contribution or Late Independent Expenditure of \$1,000 or More ^{7/}	10/22/06 – 11/6/06	 → Personal Delivery → Guaranteed Overnight Service → Fax
January 31, 2007	Semi-Annual	^{1/} – 12/31/06	→ Personal Delivery→ First Class Mail

Footnotes:

The period covered by any statement begins on the day after the closing date of the last statement filed, or January 1, if no previous statement has been filed.

State candidates required to file electronically (see footnote 3) must file this report if they receive a contribution of \$5,000 or more from a single source at any time other than the 90-day election cycle. ("Election cycle" is defined as 90 days prior to an

- election and ending on the date of the election.) No paper copy is required and no copies are required to be filed with local filing officers. This report is not required for primarily formed state candidate committees.
- Orandidates and committees must file electronically with the Secretary of State if, since January 1, 2000, they receive contributions or make expenditures totaling \$50,000 or more. For more information, visit the Secretary of State's web site at www.ss.ca.gov. Paper filings are also required, except as described in footnotes 2 and 4.
- Committees required to file electronically (see footnote 3) must file a report disclosing each independent expenditure of \$1,000 or more made during the period March 8, 2006, through June 6, 2006, and during the period August 9, 2006, through November 7, 2006, to support or oppose a state ballot measure being voted on June 6, 2006, or November 7, 2006, respectively. No paper copy is required and no copies are required to be filed with local filing officers, including during the late reporting period. Also see footnote 8.
- State officeholders must file this report for any preelection period in which contributions are made to any other state or local candidate or committee.
- A committee that makes a payment or a promise of payment of \$50,000 or more for a communication that clearly identifies a state candidate appearing on the June or November ballot but does not expressly advocate the election or defeat of the candidate, must file Form E530 electronically with the Secretary of State. The report must be filed within 48 hours of making or promising to make the payment. No paper copy is required and no copies are required to be filed with local filing officers.
- A controlled committee of a candidate may not make an independent expenditure to support or oppose another candidate. (Gov. Code § 85501.)

Additional Notes:

- Except for deadlines that fall on a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday, there is no provision in the law for extending a filing deadline. Late statements are subject to a \$10 per day late fine.
- All statements are public documents.
- Contributions to state candidates and to committees that make contributions to state candidates are subject to contribution limits. Some committees that feature state candidates in advertisements are also subject to contribution limits.

As of the date of this publication (5/05), the FPPC Campaign Disclosure Manual for state candidates (Manual 1) contains the most recent information on campaign disclosure requirements. Legislative amendments to the Political Reform Act may go into effect that will change information contained in the manual and this filing schedule. Be sure to check the FPPC web site (www.fppc.ca.gov) for updated information.

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